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## Banks.

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$5,000,000 Dollars.  
RESERVE FUND, \$1,500,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.  
Chairman—The Hon. W. KESWICK.  
Deputy Chairman—A. MOLLER, Esq.  
ADOLF ANDER, Esq. H. FORTES, Esq.  
H. R. BELLON, Esq. F. D. SUGAN, Esq.  
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CHIEF MANAGERS.  
Hongkong, THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.  
Shanghai, EWEY CAMERON, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.  
INTEREST ALLOWED.

ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits:—  
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 " " "  
" 12 " 5 " " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.  
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.  
Offices of the Corporation,  
No. 1, Queen's Road East,  
Hongkong, March 17, 1880.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.  
(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.)

RECOGNIZED by the INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF 30th APRIL, 1862.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP, \$2,200,000.  
RESERVE FUND, \$200,000.

HEAD OFFICE—14, Rue de la Paix, PARIS.

AGENCIES and BRANCHES at:  
LONDON, BOULGON, SAN FRANCISCO, MARSEILLES, BOMBAY, HONGKONG, LYONS, CALCUTTA, HANKOW, NANTZ.

LONDON BANKERS:  
THE BANK OF ENGLAND.  
THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking and Exchange business.

R. G. VOULLEMONT, Manager, Shanghai.  
Hongkong, May 20, 1879.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.  
(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$1,500,000.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.  
At 3 months notice 3 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " " 4 " " "  
" 12 " " 5 " " "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. O. ROOTT, Acting Manager.  
Oriental Bank Corporation,  
Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

CHARTERED MERCHANT BANK OF INDIA, LONDON & CHINA.  
(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

THE following Rates of Interest are allowed on Fixed Deposits:—  
For 12 months, 5 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " " 4 " " "  
" 3 " " 3 " " "

H. H. NELSON, Manager.  
Hongkong, May 31, 1879.

## Banks.

### CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

CAPITAL, £800,000.  
RESERVE FUND, £150,000.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.  
THE CITY BANK.

NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

THE BANK'S BRANCH in Hongkong grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East, buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange, and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

On Current Accounts, 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits:  
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 " " "  
" 12 " 5 " " "

NATIONAL BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.  
Registered in London under the Companies' Act of 1862, on 23rd March, 1863.

Established in Calcutta 20th September, 1863.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £333,000.  
PAID-UP CAPITAL, £465,250.  
RESERVE FUND, £20,000.

HEAD OFFICE:—39A, THEBAGWAT STREET, LONDON, E.C.

LONDON BANKERS:—NATIONAL PROVINCIAL BANK OF ENGLAND.

NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

All descriptions of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance; and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement—the maximum rate being 5 per cent. per annum.

R. H. SANDEMAN, Manager.  
Hongkong, November 1, 1879.

## Notices of Firms.

### NOTICE.

I have this day Established myself as a MERCHANT, and COMMISSION AGENT.

HARRY WICKING.  
OLIVE CHAMBERS,  
Hongkong, April 2, 1880. my2

### NOTICE.

MR. PHILIPP ARNHOLD has been authorized to SIGN our Firm per Procuration in HONGKONG and CHINA.

ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.  
Hongkong, April 1, 1880. my1

### NOTICE.

MR. ROBERT HOWIE and Mr. RONALD GREIG are authorized to SIGN our Firm per Procuration from this Date.

DEACON & Co.  
Canton, March 31, 1880. my1

### NOTICE.

I have this day Established myself as a GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT and AUCTIONEER in this Colony, at 46, Queen's Road Central, under the Style of Firm of "EQUA DA SILVA & Co."

A. A. DECA DA SILVA.  
Hongkong, March 20, 1880. ap20

### NOTICE.

MR. N. O. STEVENS is hereby authorized to SIGN our Name by Procuration at AMOY, the Power held by Mr. EDWARD CHAMBERLAIN from this Date.

RUSSELL & Co.  
China, February 9, 1880. my11

### NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents to the New York Board of UNDERWRITERS.

ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.  
Agents.  
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.  
Hongkong, Sept. 5, 1879. ap20

### FOR SALE.

A BOUDOIR GRAND PIANO, by Broadwood, in good condition.

For Particulars, apply to  
J. C. CHINA MAIL Office,  
Hongkong, 3rd March, 1880.

### FOR SALE.

A BROADWOOD BOUDOIR GRAND PIANO, in perfect Condition.

Apply to  
B. LYALL,  
at Messrs. J. C. CHINA MAIL Office,  
Hongkong, March 31, 1880.

### FOR SALE.

THE FURNISHINGS, FIXTURES, Stock-in-Trade and Good-will, of the well-known and prosperous Business at present Carried on by Mr. ANDREW WIND.

THE BRITISH HOTEL.  
Full Particulars will be given on Application.

Hongkong, January 23, 1880.

## For Sale.

### LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED Ex "GLENFALLOCH" AND OTHER LATE ARRIVALS.

PARIS'S TRANSPARENT SOAPS in Tablets and Balls.

SILVER'S TABLE, BRACKET, and Hanging LAMPS (fitted with Storm Burners)

DEVOS'S KEROSINE (tested to 150° Fahr.).  
American Reading LAMPS for Kerosine.

REVOLVERS and CARTRIDGES.  
TELESCOPES and FIELD GLASSES.

PORTMANTEAUX and TRAVELLING BAGS, and RUG STRAPS.  
DESKS and DESPATCH BOXES.

CHURCH'S CASH, PAPER, and DEED BOXES.  
CHURCH'S BOX, PAD and DOOR LOCKS.

Summer HOSIERY.  
Broadwood's PIANOS for Sale or Hire.

Silicated Carbon FILTERS.  
SACCOCCI'S SHERRY.

Sparkling BURGUNDY.  
Do. HOCK.

Do. MOSELE.  
Breakfast and Dinner CLARETS.

CHAMPAGNE, Kohnstamm.  
Do. De Lossy.

Do. Ruinart.  
TAUCHNITZ and Other NOVELS.

WORKS OF REFERENCE.  
Table CUTLERY and PENKNIVES.

GLASS and Electro-Plated WARE.  
CIGARS and Cigar's "Golden Cloud"

TOBACCO.  
PIPES, CIGAR & Cigarette HOLDERS.

Waterproof COATS (very light).  
UMBRELLAS "Antoniou Patent."

Lawn Tennis BATS and BALLS.  
Pith HATS & HELMETS, Straw HATS.

SAUMUR.  
BRANDY, WHISKY, GIN and RUM.

ALE and STOUT, bottled by FOSTER.  
Crosse and BLACKWELL'S STORES, French JAMS, &c., &c.

Hongkong, April 1, 1880. my1

## For Sale.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have always on Hand a Stock of Messrs JOHN BROADWOOD & SONS' PIANOFORTES

in various Styles for SALE, on Hire, or on a system Combining Hire with purchase by which part of the Purchase Money is paid

at once, and the Balance by monthly instalments extending over three years.

Mr. DOUGLAS DALL has practical experience as a Piano Tuner and Repairer—having passed through Messrs BROADWOOD'S

Factories—and any Work entrusted to him will be carefully and efficiently performed.

Inspection of PIANOS in Stock is invited.

Hongkong, March 13, 1880. ap13

## Auctions.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

TO BE SOLD as a going Concern, by PUBLIC AUCTION, on a DAY to be hereafter fixed in the Month of APRIL next, (unless previously disposed of by Private Contract, and subject to withdrawal by the Vendor for any other reason of which due Notice will be given),

THE BUSINESS OF ENGINEERS AND SHIPWRIGHTS, lately Carried on by Messrs J. IGLES & Co., known as the VICTORIA FOUNDRY, and situate at SPRING GARDENS, Victoria.

Together with all the Plant, MACHINERY, TRADE FIXTURES and FITTINGS, STEAM LAUNCHES, and STOCK-IN-TRADE, and including the Good-will, and all Existing Contracts and Engagements.

For further Particulars, apply to SHARP, TOLLER & JOHNSON, Solicitors for the Mortgagees.

Supreme Court House,  
17th February, 1880.

## Entertainment.

THEATRE ROYAL.

CITY HALL.

THIS EVENING,  
the 5th April, 1880.

FAREWELL PERFORMANCE OF ADAME DORIANI'S FRENCH OPERA COMIQUE COMPANY.

By general desire, a Repetition of "LE PETIT FAUST," PARODY on GOUNOD'S FAUST in Three Acts and Four Tableaux.

Characters.  
Faust, Mr. BLANC.

Valentin, Mr. MANNING.  
Le Cocher, Mr. COCKLEY.

Lepin, Mr. VICTOR.  
Mephisto, Madame MORILL.

Marguerite, Madame DORIANI.  
Lisette, Madame BOURGOIN.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:  
Dress Circle and Stalls, \$2.  
Back Seats, \$1.

Tickets may be had at Messrs KRAUS & Co.'s, and at the door of the Theatre on the night of Performance.

Doors open at 8; Performance to commence at 9 o'clock.  
Hongkong, April 5, 1880. ap5

## Intimations.

HONGKONG WHARF & GODOWNS.

GOODS RECEIVED ON STORAGE at Moderate Rates, in FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS, under European supervision; and VESSELS Discharged alongside the Wharf, on favorable Terms, with quick despatch. Also entire Godowns to be let.

MEYER & Co.  
Hongkong, April 1, 1880. my1

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the Matter of SEBASTIANO ANTONIO MORONZA, a Bankrupt.

NOTICE.—The above-named Bankrupt having passed his last Examination the hearing of the application by him for his order of discharge stands adjourned to MONDAY, the Twelfth day of April, 1880, at 11 of the Clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 25th day of March, 1880.

STEPHENS & HOLMES,  
Solicitors in the Bankruptcy.

ORIENTAL HOTEL.

TWO NEW BOWLING ALLEYS HAVE BEEN LAID.

Accommodation for Boarders and Families.

WINE AND SPIRITS  
Of the Best Quality.

J. F. SHUSTER, Proprietor.  
Hongkong, January 23, 1880.

## Intimations.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the SHANGHAI FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary Meeting of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company, held at the Head Office, Nos. 8 and 9, Praya West, Victoria, in the Island of Hongkong, on the 17th day of December, 1879, it was resolved to dissolve and wind up the said Company, and that all outstanding Policies should be redeemed.

Such outstanding Policies having now been redeemed, all Persons having any CLAIM against the above Company are hereby requested to forward full Particulars thereof to the Solicitors of the said Company, or before the 10th day of May next, after which date a General Distribution of the Assets will take place, and no Claim will be admitted thereafter.

Dated the 25th day of March, 1880.

ERRINGTON AND WOTTON,  
22, Queen's Road, Hongkong,  
Solicitors for the SHANGHAI FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LTD.

DENTAL NOTICE.

DR. ROGERS, now on a visit to SHANGHAI, will return to HONGKONG early in the Winter as usual.

Hongkong, April 1, 1880.

DYNAMITE, FUSES, DETONATORS, &c.

FROM NOBEL'S EXPLOSIVES CO., LIMITED, GLASGOW, can be had in any quantity on application to

THE BORNEO CO., LTD., Agents.  
Hongkong, March 8, 1880. sm21

SAILORS' HOME.

ANY Cast-off CLOTHING, BOOKS, or EXPENSE will be thankfully received at the Sailor's Home, West Point.

Hongkong, July 25, 1878.

THE COSMOPOLITAN DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

REGISTERED UNDER THE COMPANIES' ORDINANCE 1865, AND THE COMPANIES' ORDINANCE 1877.

CAPITAL \$500,000, DIVIDED INTO 5,000 SHARES OF \$100 EACH.

FULLY PAID UP.

General Agents.  
Messrs RUSSELL & Co.

Directors.  
WILLIAM HOWELL FORBES, Esq.  
J. A. DE REMEDOS, Esq.  
KWOK ACHONG, Esq.  
O. VINCENT SMITH, Esq.

BANKERS.  
THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

Solicitors.  
Messrs ERRINGTON AND WOTTON.

This Company has been formed for the purpose of acquiring from the Proprietors of the COSMOPOLITAN DOCK, their Dock and the Ground and Premises belonging thereto, with the Plant, Machinery, and Stock-in-Trade of the business at present carried on by the said Proprietors, and of carrying on the Business of shipwrights and Engineers in the Colony of Hongkong.

For this purpose an absolute Assignment dated the 31st day of January, 1880, has been entered into by Messrs WILLIAM HOWELL FORBES, FRANK BROADWOOD FORBES, SAMUEL WILKES POMEROY, JUNIOR, JOHN MURRAY FORBES, JUNIOR, FREDERICK DELANEY HITCH, HENRY DE COVART FORBES, and CHARLES VINCENT SMITH, Merchants, trading as ROSS & Co., as Trustees of WILLIAM HOWELL FORBES, ANDREW JOSEPH, and NATHAN STRAITS, the owners of the said COSMOPOLITAN DOCK, with Messrs KWOK ACHONG, WILLIAM HOWELL FORBES, CHARLES VINCENT SMITH, and JOHN ANTONIO DOS REMEDIOS, Directors of the said Company, for the purchase of all the premises mentioned, without further confirmation, for the term of years, or sum of \$500,000, subject to the condition that if the Stock-in-Trade consisting of Wood and Iron be not valued by a competent valuator at a sum not less than \$100,000, the said sum of \$500,000 shall be paid accordingly.

The COSMOPOLITAN DOCK is of sufficient dimensions to dock the largest Vessels afloat; it and the Plant and Machinery belonging thereto are now in perfect order.

The Business of Building, Docking, Making, and Repairing Vessels is in full operation, so that the Company can at once enter upon every business, which it is expected will be highly remunerative.

The Business of the Company will be conducted by Messrs RUSSELL & Co., as General Agents, assisted by a Board of Directors.

About Four Thousand Shares have been already taken up, and it is intended that the Capital will be called up as follows:—

\$75 per share on allotment.

\$25 per share on the 1st day of May, 1880.

All unpaid Capital after that date shall bear Interest at 12 per cent. per annum.

Application for Shares, which shall be in the successful form, will be received by the Agents, up to the 15th day of April, 1880.

THE COSMOPOLITAN DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

To Messrs RUSSELL & Co., General Agents.

Shareholders are requested to forward full Particulars of their Shares, or to forward the same to the Agents, up to the 15th day of April, 1880.

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## Intimations.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by a Bill of Sale, dated the 5th day of November, 1879, and made between JACOB FAITZ SHUSTER & Co. and the SHANGHAI FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, the said JACOB FAITZ SHUSTER & Co. were assigned by him to the said Insurance Corporation.

And all Persons INDEBTED to the said JACOB FAITZ SHUSTER & Co. are therefore notified to pay the amount of their Debts to the said Insurance Corporation.

Dated this 1st day of April, 1880.

SHARP, TOLLER & JOHNSON,  
Solicitors for the said Insurance Corporation.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

ON and after FRIDAY Next, the 2nd April, the NIGHT-BOAT will leave HONGKONG at 6 p.m., and CANTON at 5.30 p.m.

By Order,  
P. A. DE COSTA,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, March 30, 1880.

Mr. Andrew Wind,  
News Agent, &c.

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## Shipping.

STEAMERS.







ing, for if there are any real grounds of interference they may rest assured that satisfactory steps will be taken.

It is reported that a Chinese army, strong, is being concentrated upon Kaidia's frontier, and it is expected that the Russian Government has not as yet received any official intimation of the refusal of the Chinese Government to ratify the treaty for the cession of Kaidia.

His Excellency the Chinese Minister attending Her Majesty's Court, Room, and a visit to the Kaiser; he expressed his sympathy with the Emperor's escape, returned to Paris.

Mr G. O. Lees, the Governor of the Leeward Southwestern March, passed on board the steamer *Aurora*, to take up his appointment.

**Latest Mail Advices.**—Yokohama, 12, Shanghai Jan. 16, Woon v. Jan Hongkong Jan. 22 The French Consul with the advices dated 28th inst., says that Napoleon left the 23rd inst. by day, There are no advices from Japan etc San Francisco The next inward (P & O.) mailer despatched from Alexandria for this city.

Thomas Frederick Elliot, G. C. S. I. and Lady Elliot, have both died at Port Typhoon fever. Lady Elliot is the 4th inst. It is thought that the fever was caught at Naples. Sir Thomas Elliot was born in 1790 was married in 1814. His son Hugh Elliot, Governor of Madras and brother of the first Earl of Minto was of the Dean of Bristol. He entered Colonial Office in 1825, and was Secretary for the Colonies from 1839 to 1847.

Lady Hope, daughter of the late Admiral Robert Howe Bromley, Bart.

At the next meeting of Grand Lodge English Freemasons, to be held next week a proposition will be made by the Master that Grand Lodge shall contribute £100 towards the purchase of Marlborough House for the Relief of Distress in the East.

At the forthcoming festival of the Masonic Institution for Girls, at Prince Leopold will preside, the Duke of Devonshire, Lord Salisbury, Mr. Master Lodge, No. 1, and Mr Monckton (town clerk). W.M. of the Sussex Lodge, No. 1,827, have been elected as president and vice-president respectively of the board of stewards.

Ebenezer French, Esq., Inspector of the Scottish Rite, in consequence of a dissent with the Supreme Council, reformed themselves into a separate organization, headed by a Scottish Symbolic Lodge. There were previously no Masonic bodies west, the Supreme Council of the Old Order.

The *Winnia*, a double-screw iron-turret ship, 2,751 tons, 1,445-horse power, Commander J. G. Jones, will sail for long, via the Suva Canal, next week for the *Raleigh*. A discussion of relations between England and America—upon the unworthiness of which has been closed by a letter from Mr Reed, in which he says—"The safe-

increased by the carrying up of her  
sight bathyrage, the antebellion or  
masts for the heavy tripod masts or  
fitted, the application of bilge belt  
other improvements. It cannot be de-  
that the changes have been made  
and that they will justify more ex-  
service for the *Wern* than she was  
nally adapted for. Although the co-  
lowliness of her fore-board will  
prevent her from taking tank with  
usual corvettes and frigates of the  
class, the changes have been made  
good service at Hongkong." The  
is undergoing the final repairs pro-  
to departure.

The *Curacao*, 14, steel and iron cor-  
cused with wood, 2,583 tons, 2,500  
power, was commissioned on the 24th  
at Drenopert, by Captain Willem  
Cuming, for service on the China S-

The *R. V. Jno. Dougherty* is ap-  
chaplain and naval instructor, and  
J. H. Fox and H. L. De Staple  
appointed midshipmen to this vessel.  
expected that the *Curacao* and the  
sight protection in Hongkong. It  
while the *Curacao* will probably be  
prior for the relief of the *Cherydelle*  
was re-commissioned at Hongkong in  
1877.

A number of Chinese have paid a  
Chatham dockyard, by special ar-  
of the Admiralty, are now conducting  
the factories, ship-building department  
other establishments.

Lieutenant Hon. W. Grim  
appointed to the *Lapping* on the  
Station.

It is probable that Prince Ernest  
of the Grand Duke of Hesse and  
Princess Alice of Schleswig-Holstein  
entered on board the *Arcturion* as a  
cadet, thus following the example  
the sons of the Prince of Wales.

**Quotations.**

**Rosencroft, April 8.**

OPIMUM.	New Patna, each, 4535
"	Old " " " " 4535
"	New Benares, each, 900
"	Old " " " " 900
"	New Malwa, credit, 745
"	Old Malwa, credit, 730

**Exchange.**

Bank, Wiro, .....	3/87
" Demand, .....	3/87
" 30 days sight, .....	3/87
" 4 months sight, .....	3/87
Credit, .....	3/87
Post-natal, 4 months sight, .....	3/87
India, Wiro, .....	3/87
" demand, .....	3/87
Shanghai, demand, .....	76
" 80 days sight, .....	78 1/2
Gold Loan, 99 1/2 fine .....	37 1/2
Soyseeds, .....	21 00

**Shares.**

Hongkong Bank, 56 1/2 prem. sales.	
Union Ins. Society of Canton, 11 450	
China Traders' Ins. Co., 11 450	
North China Ins. Co., 11 450	
Yangtze Ins. Assoc. Co., 11 450	
Chinese Ins. Co., 450 prem. sales.	
H. K. Fire Ins. Co., 421 prem. sales.	
China Fire Ins. Co., 421 prem. sales.	
H. K. & W. Dock Co., 4 1/2 prem.	
H. K. & W. Dock Co., 4 1/2 prem.	
Shanghai Steam Navigation, 11 7	
China Coast & New York, 11 7	
Hongkong Gas Co., 175 prem. sales.	
Hongkong Hotel Co., 165 p. the	
China Sugar Refining Co., 161 p.	
Chinese Imperial Loan of 1874, do	
Do " " " " " " " " " "	of 1877

**Temperatures.**

**(Taken at Mason's Restaurant, at 11 P.M.,  
Queen's Road.)**

**Rosencroft, April 8.**

BAROMETRICAL—2 P.M. ....	30.1
Do " 4 P.M. ....	30.1
Do " 6 P.M. ....	30.1
Thermometrical—2 P.M. ....	69
Do " 4 P.M. ....	73
Do " 6 P.M. ....	75
Do (Wat bulb) 2 P.M. ....	73
Do " 4 P.M. ....	75
Do " 6 P.M. ....	69
Do " Maximum ....	75
Do " Minimum over night ..	73



